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Attorney Docket No. 60137-027 First Inventor or Application Identifier Gerard Jay Bellasalma, et al. FLUSHLESS MOLD VALVE ASSEMBLY (Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b)) Express Mail Label No. EL 747 233 695 US

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